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## REMOVED.

The office of the SENTINEL has been removed from its old location to one Main street, opposite the Postoffice. For that reason we beg our readers to excuse us for the meagre appearance of our paper this week.

## THE BOUNDARY QUESTION.

The question of the boundary line between the State of California and the Territory of Arizona is one that should and must be settled. Since the establishment of the line of survey made by the Treaty of 1848, between Mexico and the United States, and known as the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, up to the present time, the county of San Diego has claimed and collected, and still claims the right to collect, taxes from that portion of our population living and owning property between said line and the Colorado river.

Our town authorities have made application to the Land Commissioner at Washington for the purchase of the lands embracing the townsite of Arizona City about a year ago, but that officer refused to sell that portion lying between the said line of survey and the Colorado river, alleging that that strip of land was in dispute. Without the water front, our people are not anxious, and will not purchase the said townsite.

As the matter now stands, great uncertainty exists as to the jurisdiction of the Courts of our Territory over persons and property within said tract, and those persons are in great doubt as to whether they really belong within this Territory or California.

There is but one way of settling this question, and that is by litigation. The whole Territory is interested in this, and we deem it the duty of the coming Legislature to take such steps as will bring about a speedy and complete settlement of this matter.

The morning gun will be fired at 7 o'clock a. m., during the month of December.

## Texas and Pacific Railroad.

The Dallas (Texas) News, in referring to the progress being made in the construction of this road, says:

The projection and completion of this great national work by Col. Thos. A. Scott, Vice President of the Pennsylvania Railway Company, a corporation controlling nearly 4,000 miles of railroad in the United States, is almost overshadowing the Presidential campaign in its magnitude and importance, and is the chief topic in railway circles as well as the South. There are already some supplies, iron, etc., in Galveston, and several locomotives and some rolling stock at Corsicana. The company is bringing in corn, grain and bacon from the West, and St. Louis for the East end of the road. Corn is being brought in large quantities on the Brazos, to be brought here by the Houston & Texas Central Railway. In four weeks fifty thousand ties will be here from Calcasieu, La., and one thousand tons of hay are now being cut between here and Cedar Grove, both contracted for by Major Adamson, the chief of the tie and forage department here. Five hundred miles of the road, including the distance between Fort Worth, Dallas and Longview, are to be completed within fifteen months. Work is to commence from Dallas with an immense force going east and west at the same time, on the 1st of October. There are a large number of laborers already coming in and scattering themselves along the line of the road but there is room for many more tie-cutters, laborers and teams. The company have erected a commodious office on Elm street for the officers of the road stationed here, and for the work inaugurated by the railway Titan, Colonel Scott, goes bravely on.

Five years ago it was a crime punishable with death for any person to make any drawing, painting, bust or resemblance of the Mikado of Japan. By papers from the country we learn that the august Son of Heaven has had his photograph taken, and that copies are selling at Yeddo and Yokohama for fifty cents each. Less than a year ago a photographer secretly took a negative of a great public ceremonial at Yeddo, in which the Mikado appeared. The entire Kingdom was in a panic at once, and the unhappy artist was obliged to destroy the negative and every copy he had taken from it.

## General Lee's Room.

Illustrative of the reverence in which the memory of General Lee is held by the people of Virginia, a correspondent of the Nashville Union and American, who has been on a visit to Washington and Lee's University relates the following:

He says that the private room in the University which the General occupied has been left just as it was when he went out of it on the morning he took to his bed, and from which he never arose. The General went into his room at his usual hour that morning, put on his slippers, took a seat near the window, from which he drew the curtain partially and began reading a copy of the Nashville Union and American. He had been complaining of feeling unwell, and after reading a short time he laid the paper on the table and left the room, never more to return. To-day the visitor to the University is shown the room, which he is allowed to enter, but is prohibited from touching anything. On the dust-covered table he sees the paper as it dropped from the hand of the great chieftain, and near the chair, which is partly turned around, his slippers. The curtain is in the same position in which the General had placed it, and in the inkstand is the deeply-corroded pen just as it had been left when last used. A guard is mounted at the door every day to see that nothing about the room is disturbed by any one visiting it.

**BAD FOR MISSIONARIES.**—Great consternation was created recently at a Church of England missionary meeting at the Starcross, by the unexpected remarks made by "Captain Peacock, the principal inhabitant of the town, who has several times circumnavigated the globe." He knocked the meeting in a cocked hat by affirming, on his own knowledge, that as a rule the missionaries were bad men, and that their influence was most mischievous. He added that the Bible was revised, and many passages expunged, until it was utterly unfit for circulation among the heathen, and did far more harm than good. After this, it is not surprising to learn that "the subscriptions were very small."

## R. B. KELLEY.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Arizona City, A. T.

## SUSPENSION.

Chas. E. Bean, the editor of the Los Angeles News, publishes a card in the Express of the 3d inst., as follows:

"The readers of the News, who failed to receive their papers on Tuesday, are informed that the cause therefor is to be found in a printers' strike. The suspension will be but temporary. In a few days the News will again greet its patrons."

## NEW TO-DAY.

## TREASURER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF TREASURER,  
Yuma County, A. T.,  
Arizona City, Dec. 14, 1872.  
Notice is hereby given that the following warrants on the GENERAL FUND of Yuma County, will be paid upon presentation, viz: Nos. 201, 202, 209, 218 and 220—of issue of January, 1871—interest on which ceased November 16th, 1872.  
Nos. 227 to 266 inclusive—of issue of January, 1871—and Nos. 267 to 274—of issue July, 1871—interest on which, ceases this date.  
JAS. M. BARNEY,  
Treasurer of Yuma County.  
Per JNO. S. CARR,  
Deputy. d14 26

## TREASURER'S NOTICE.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,  
ARIZONA CITY, A. T.,  
December 14th, 1872.  
Notice is hereby given that the following city warrants of the issue of 1871 will be paid upon presentation at this office, viz: Nos. 19 and 20.  
GEO. MARTIN,  
Treasurer,  
Arizona City, A. T.  
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## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will not pay any debts contracted by my wife, Jesus Canizales Campo, from and after this date.  
LUIS CAMPO.  
Arizona City, Dec. 13, 1872. [1m.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Probate Court, Yuma county, Territory of Arizona.  
In the matter of the estate of E. McCormick, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the above estate, to present their claims properly vouched for according to law, within the period of ten months from date of this notice, to the undersigned at Arizona City, County of Yuma, at the office of Wm. B. Hooper & Co.

JOHN S. CARR,  
Public Administrator  
of Yuma county.  
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